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TWO CENTS

FIREMEN TO CAMPAIGN FOR MORE MODERN FIRE EQUIPMENT

Truck with Pump Attachment One of the Pressing Needs

WANT SUPPORT OF PUBLIC

Charleroi's need for more modern fire equipment being realized the local volunteer fire department is preparing for a campaign which will have for its object the raising of sufficient funds to bring about such results. Other near-by communities, realizing such a need, have added more modern equipment to their fire fighting apparatus, or have placed orders to secure such machines. This is notably the case in South Brownsville, Donora, Monongahela and Bentleyville, as well as other communities in this part of the state. They have either secured, or have placed orders for machines, which have pump attachments, which makes their trucks available wherever they can obtain water, and which renders them doubly efficient. Charleroi firemen realize that if they are to keep their department up to its usual high state of efficiency they must be equipped with a machine that will be additionally serviceable at any point to which they may be called in the borough.

The company already has a sum of money on hand as a beginning for a fund to purchase such a machine, and are now preparing to add to their bank account by a plan to award a Buick 21-45 machine valued at \$1930 to some fortunate person. Other plans are also under advisement, and if adopted the public will be made acquainted with details.

The present fire company has an enviable record. No fire in the borough has got beyond the building in which it originated during the time the present organization has been in charge of the fire department. Every call has been answered promptly, and as a general rule the fire losses have been comparatively small. However, the company feels that it is handicapped when called to the hill districts of the borough, as, on account of lack of pressure they must depend almost solely on chemicals to control fires. It is to overcome this feature they now ask assistance from the property owners and business men of the community to assist in this laudable enterprise.

A fire truck equipped with a pumping apparatus would place the Charleroi company on a par with any company in the valley so far as equipment is concerned. So far as efficiency goes there is no better company in any of the surrounding towns, but to keep a company at a high state of efficiency it is necessary to have up-to-date equipment. For this reason the local company is anxious to secure such a truck, which they hope will become a realization once the people understand the situation.

Few people of the borough realize the protection afforded by a fire company, and particularly a volunteer organization. In the cities with a paid fire department the people pay

ELKS TO CONSIDER STATE ORPHANAGE

At the State convention of Elks, in Allentown, on Wednesday, Dr. D. S. Ashcom, newly elected president of the State Association, was authorized to appoint a committee to take up the question of an Elks' orphanage as proposed by Charles Grakelow, incoming vice president. Retiring President Rupp's recommendation for the establishment of an Elks' orphanage was unanimously endorsed. An Elks' charity day was also advocated. The purpose is to have a day set aside all over the state when funds will be received and donated to the various charitable organizations.

ASK FOR CHANGES IN EXISTING LAWS

Resolutions were adopted at Wednesday's sessions of the League of Third-Class Cities in York, favoring a daylight saving law; legislation fixing 15 miles an hour as the speed limit for cities, boroughs and danger zones; a bill supplementary to the public service law, authorizing boroughs and cities to make contracts for supply of water, gas and electric light, in the same manner as prior to the passage of that law; giving municipalities power to proceed against public utility corporations, in the same manner as though the public service law was not effective; and giving cities of the third class one-half of the revenue derived by the state from auto licenses, this money to be used for the upkeep of streets.

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for the service. In communities where the volunteer system exists the cost to taxpayers is practically nothing. Yet this service keeps down insurance rates and protects properties against fires, no matter what time they may occur. All this work is done without compensation to the members, who often destroy much of their clothing while in attendance at fires.

In the past the local company has responded to calls from outside towns, going to Monongahela, Monessen, Belle Vernon, Fayette City, Roscoe, Coal Center and Bentleyville, and at all of these places rendered efficient service.

The money received in the past from subscribers has been used in taking care of the local department, providing the truck and purchasing necessary equipment, and now the members are convinced that a modern truck with pumping attachment should be added to the department to meet modern conditions. The community is growing from year to year, and with this growth comes added responsibility for the firemen. To meet it they feel that other equipment than that now under their control should be added, and to this end they desire public support.

Old Newspaper Tells of Prices Half Century Ago

A copy of the Pittsburgh Weekly Chronicle dated July 15, 1871, was found by Henry Grummer, of 210 Falkland avenue, on Wednesday, while repairing a looking glass owned by Mrs. M. T. Crowley. The paper was evidently placed behind the glass when it was framed many years ago, and was not discovered until taken out by Mr. Grummer while making some repairs.

The paper is an 8-page, 6-column publication filled mostly with reading matter, advertisements being very few, although three columns are devoted to the markets. This feature, however, would be interesting to housekeepers, showing as it does a list of the prices of foodstuffs paid in these days. The paper says that peaches which sold the year before for 50 cents a basket, would be refused at that price by the people during that season. New potatoes were quoted at \$2.50 to \$3 per barrel, old potatoes 75 cents a bushel; eggs 15 and 16 cents a dozen; flour from \$7.75 a barrel, according to grade;

country lard 9 and 10 cents; blackberries \$1.25 to \$1.50 per bucket; sugar cured hams 10 1-2 cents; sugar cured shoulders 11 1-2 cents; sugar, yellow, 12 3-4 cents, grade A, 13 3-4 cents and grade B 13 1-8 cents. Quotations were also given on wines and whiskies and the report showed that whisky, proof rectified, sold for \$1.12 1-2 per gallon, certainly a contrast to the prices alleged to be received today.

In the way of news the paper reported the progress of riots in New York City; a murder in Sligo, or Monongahela borough, the district on the South Side of Pittsburgh directly opposite the wharf; and the suicide of a young man in Rostraver township whose property was in his father's name. It is said the deed was committed because the father refused to turn the property back to the son.

The looking glass was formerly owned either by the Chalfant or Breckenridge families of Brownsville, through whom it came to Mrs. Crowley.

AUTO CASE WAS ON TRIAL TUESDAY

The case against Robert Keenan, charged with violating the motor vehicle laws, was tried before Judge James I. Brownson on Wednesday afternoon, and the court charged the jury this morning. This case grows out of an automobile accident on the road from Maple creek to Monongahela, on the night of October 8, 1919.

It was alleged that an automobile owned and driven by the defendant crashed into the car of P. L. Coyle. The accident occurred in front of the residence of Constable Glenn VanVoorhis, in Falkland township. Hearing the crash, the officer went out to investigate, and he stated to the jury that he found that the two cars had come together. He claimed that the defendant was so badly intoxicated that he was staggering and could not start his machine again. Constable VanVoorhis searched the defendant, and alleged that he found a half pint bottle about two-thirds full of whisky. He then placed the defendant under arrest and brought him to Charleroi.

DANCE AT ELKS CLUB ON FRIDAY EVENING

The social committee of the Charleroi Lodge of Elks have announced another dance for Friday evening, August 27, with the Jenkins-McGowan popular players to furnish the music. These occasions are proving very popular with members and friends, the accommodations of the club house being taxed to take care of the guests.

FREE SERVICE IS OFFERED CRIPPLES

The Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry, through its bureau of rehabilitation, has offered free service to 25 persons in Washington county, who have been permanently disabled in industrial accidents. The figures were announced in a report to Commissioner Clifford S. Connelley by S. S. Riddle, the bureau chief.

Similar assistance has been offered without cost to 19 industrial cripples throughout the state, and 376 of them have registered with the bureau. Twenty of the disabled persons have been placed in schools for various training courses, and the remainder have been helped to positions in industrial establishments for training or employment for which they are fit.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness and words of condolence during our bereavement in the loss of our beloved brother, William Maxwell. We also thank the former service men, Dr. Hackett, the choir, the American Legion Post of Fayette City, those who loaned automobiles and those who sent floral tributes.

His Brothers and Sisters.

Don't forget the lawn fete at corner Fifth street and Lincoln avenue, Friday evening, Aug. 27th. 63-13-*

Read Dr. Greenfield's statement on page 3 of this issue.

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REPAIRING ROADS TO WASHINGTON FAIR GROUNDS

The state highway department has started work on the repair of the North Main street extension road of Washington leading from the city seat to Arden, in order to have it in better condition for the opening of the Washington fair, which is scheduled for next Tuesday. The work is expected to be completed before the day of the opening of the fair. The exhibition this year promises to be equal, if not superior to any of the previous ones, and if the weather is propitious, the attendance should shatter all records for the Washington fair.

"RUM RUNNING" HAS ITS DANGERS

"Rum running" is not without its dangers, some of it coming in an unexpected way, and which is apt to cause some of the precious cargo to be lost. The Claysville Recorder in its issue of August 20, tells of an accident to a truck, rum laden, near that town, which resulted in the loss of 100 quarts of booze. The paper says:

"That a considerable quantity of booze is being transported over the National road is evidenced by the loss of almost 100 quarts out of a consignment of 135 cases, which was being taken to Wheeling from Pittsburgh or some other point east. Two cars were to handle the load, one coming from Wheeling to meet the other at Pike Crossing. The schedule went wrong and one of the drivers was delayed. Then, one driver failed to recognize the other car from the fact that there was to be only one man in charge and the truck had two. The meeting point was some distance east of town. The eastbound driver recognized the car and called to the other driver, but he failed to stop. The Wheeling car then turned and started after the westbound driver. The driver of the loaded truck seeing the move and having noted the other man, thought it was a 'revenooer' car after him and started west at a great clip. A sharp turn in the road was his undoing, as there the car got beyond his control and ran into a telephone pole. The pole was smashed to splinters and the car badly damaged. In the wreckage were 100 quarts of perfectly good booze, which was left to tell the tale. The pursuing car took the damaged one in tow and started for Wheeling with the remaining booze."

Miss Mary Echer, Miss Katherine Schwaed, Miss Margaret Schwaed and Leo Schwaed have left for North Chard, where they will camp with a party of young people from Braddock. They expect to spend about ten days there.

I will collect that rent, positively in advance and guarantee no vacancies. Clyde B. Cope, Real Estate and Insurance, 315 McKean avenue. 21-11-

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CONCLUSIVE TESTIMONY

Those who think lightly of Bolshevism as a world menace, or contend that there is at least no need for distant nations to feel concern, ought to see reason for modifying their view in the illuminating testimony of Bertrand Russell, the English radical, who went to Russia as a representative of the British labor party. As he is both a Socialist and a pronounced critic of the Russian policy of the Allies, what Mr. Russell says ought to be regarded as reliable even by the friends of the Bolshevik movement. In any case he amply confirms the view that Bolshevism is both militant and of world-wide aim. Its leaders are not patriots in the ordinary sense; they are interested in establishing Bolshevism in Russia only as a first step toward its establishment throughout the world. Lenine, says Mr. Russell, "is not more concerned with the interests of Russia than with those of either countries;" he would even "sacrifice Russia rather than the (Bolshevik) revolution."

Lenine regards treaties with other nations or "capitalistic States" as mere "makeshifts which can never amount on either side to a sincere peace." They are therefore to be entered into merely for the convenience of the moment and will not be considered by him as really binding. Though denouncing the Allied policy of fighting Bolshevism by promoting civil war in Russia, Mr. Russell admits that the nations can not afford to put any trust whatsoever in promises made by the Bolsheviks, who are the sworn enemies of all existing capitalistic governments and intend to overthrow them throughout the world if they can. To arm the proletariat and bring about a war of classes in all countries is their avowed and unquestionable object. Such testimony from such a source ought to be conclusive.

BRANDING OF SLACKERS

It was officially reported during the war that out of nearly ten million men in the first draft only about 5,000 arrests were made for failure to register and that more than half of these, after registering, was released. Now, according to the War Department, there are 172,911 men who have draft board records which if not explained, would justify their classification as slackers. Every man who has any reason to think that his draft board record is incomplete is urged to write to Major General Porter Harris, Adjutant General, Washington, D. C., with a view to get his record straight and thus keep his name off the list of slackers now being prepared, which will be displayed all over the country, branding with dishonor all those who shirked or sneaked out of sight while the great host of the honorable and patriotic young men of the country were doing their duty.

Whether prosecution will follow in the case of all genuine slackers is not definitely stated, but the public branding with dishonor, which the wide distribution and publication of the list involves, will by itself be a terrible punishment. Obviously the list should be corrected with the greatest care, for to include one innocent man by accident, or even as a result of his own neglect, would be deplorable.

The silver loving-cup presented to Franklin D. Roosevelt by Secretary Daniels is just like the loving-cups of old, with three handles to assist in its passage around a convivial board and the drinking therefrom by all present. Once more the question is suggested as to what is to be the use of the loving cup in the future. Will friends pledge each other in soda water, or will it content them for the passing cup merely to be filled with roses and smell instead of taste? Or will loving-cups go out of fashion?

A song has been heard across the ocean by wireless telephone, but the singing was no indication of political peace and happiness in Europe.

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that reach well-nigh to one's ears. And a distinctly new note enhancing the popularity of the wrappe coat is given by the comfortable "set-in" sleeve so entirely novel in effect.

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Paper clothes—invented in Germany under pressure of necessity—are now being sold in England and are shortly to be exhibited in this country. Before buying an American purchaser is likely to want to know what happens to them on a wet day when the umbrella has been left behind.

The Pennsylvania apple crop this year is estimated at 11,488,000 bushels, about four million bushels larger than last year's crop. The trouble about it is that every apple grower has a cider press and every gallon of cider allowed to stand a few days produces more alcohol than the law allows.

Those who take a chance at selling Jamaica ginger are apt to be brought up with a round turn by the courts. The sentences imposed a few days ago by Washington county judges would indicate that they will not tolerate violations of this kind, and those convicted will have to "pay the freight."

The American people are spending a billion dollars a year on candy, but apparently it has not sweetened their dispositions any.

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Gilbert Con. and Co., father of the Governor of Ohio, seems to be one of the youngest old men on record. Instead of sitting in the grandstand when his son was notified, he walked at the head of the parade, explaining that he wanted to put some pep into the marchers.

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To the people of Charleroi and vicinity, patients, ex-patients and all
My Dear People:

It is not without sorrow that I am compelled to leave Charleroi, a town whose people I loved so well, and in leaving I wish to state a few facts in regard to my misfortune, which however, I hope and trust will be for the best. It has always been my aim in life to be honest, straightforward, trusting everybody as I would have them trust me. I pursued this policy when I decided to study the science of Chiropractic with the result that I went to the best and largest school of Chiropractic in the world and studied under the son of the founder, Dr. B. J. Palmer. There were two courses taught at this school. One was a larger course. I wanted the best so that I could be able to give the people the best and therefore chose the larger course. I graduated and received my diploma. I was not yet satisfied however, so I went to Chicago, spent three months at a medical review school, studying from six in the morning until 12 at night. This was a school which prepared you for the state board examinations.

I was determined to pass even if I was compelled to study to the extent of breaking my health. I finally took the examination and passed and received license from the State Board of Health of that state. I decided that I wanted to practice in Pennsylvania, the state in which I was born and lived all my life. I wanted to obtain a license here as I had obtained in Illinois, but discovered that according to the law, the state was closed to Chiropractors, impossible to get a license here so feeling that I had a constitutional right to practice my art, especially as it meant relieving the sick, I finally opened an office and on February 1, 1913, located in the Micht Bldg., Charleroi.

My practice was picking up, getting better every day, but on account of answering the call of the colors I left Charleroi two months later for the army on April 5, May 18th. I was across and in the middle of July just three and one-half months after I left Charleroi. I was already in the trenches and acted as a runner in the battle of the Somme in August. I served in this capacity in the St. Michel battle and also in the Argonne Forest. I did my best in the service of my country and when discharged I resumed my practice here and due to the benefits people had been receiving from me, my practice grew by leaps and bounds, until it was necessary to hire an assistant. I also had two branch offices, one in Brownsville and one in Monessen, at which places I was also doing fine.

Suddenly, one day, the constable came in with a warrant for my arrest for practicing medicine and surgery without a license. State witnesses, all testified to the excellent results received from me, with the exception of one state witness, a so-called Chiropractor, who testified on the witness stand that the only reason he came to my office was to find out if I had a license and like the good Samaritan was going to assist me in getting on.

Cross examination showed that this so-called Chiropractor, never had a High School education and but a few weeks education in Chiropractic and part of that was a correspondence course. However, this man has a license and according to the law, the public is protected for the argument given by the court was that this law was passed to protect the public.

There was a law passed in 1911, and all Chiropractors and other drugless healers who practiced prior to the passage of that law were given licenses regardless of their educational qualifications. Since that time no Chiropractor has ever been licensed or ever will be until the law is changed. It is absolutely impossible for me to get a license.

The Chiropractors are in the same situation that the Homeopaths, Eclectics, and Osteopaths were in years ago. When Homeopathy was first discovered, Homeopaths were ridiculed by the Allopaths, and many were haled in court, fined and put in prison until after several years of struggle succeeded in getting Homeopathic Boards and were licensed. Osteopaths were then the same thing. Many were arrested on the charge of practicing medicine and surgery and many were put in prison until they became strong enough and succeeded in obtaining Osteopathic Boards. Now you do not hear of them arresting Osteopaths for practicing medicine and surgery. Now Osteopathy is Osteopathy and nothing else. Chiropractors are going through the same thing. There are at present about 13 states which have a Chiropractic Board. Of course in these states Chiropractic is not called medicine and surgery any longer. Hundreds of people of Charleroi and its surroundings will testify to the wonderful results obtained and in some cases where a life was saved. But I am told

that I must do no more good to the sick in Pennsylvania unless I have a license which is practically impossible to obtain.

In regard to the medical doctors of Charleroi, in closing, I think the people of Charleroi ought to be proud of them as they are the whitest bunch of doctors I ever saw. I know they had nothing whatever to do with my prosecution. They believe in living and letting live. Were it not for the fact that a certain so-called Chiropractor wanted my rooms and also the town for himself, I would never have been prosecuted. I wish to advise all my patients who have adjusting cards to continue with Dr. Schmidt, my successor, as he has had a thorough course in Chiropractic and is of high repute. Dr. Schmidt will honor adjusting cards of all my patients and will be in Charleroi three days per week, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

With best wishes for the health and happiness of all,
I remain,

Very truly yours,

M. D. Greenfield, D. C.

PENNSYLVANIA'S FORESTS

SHORT TALKS ON THE FORESTS AND THE LUMBER SITUATION.

By Gifford Pinchot, Chief Forester of Pennsylvania.

TIMBER DEFICIT OUR OWN PROBLEM.

Pennsylvania's timber situation is Pennsylvania's own problem. We cannot pass the buck to the rest of the country or the rest of the world, because we have the land for producing all the timber we need and sufficient to make exportation of Pennsylvania timber one of our profitable industries.

The 5,000,000 acres of what is now Pennsylvania's Desert can be—and should be—growing timber all the while it is furnishing timber.

A shortage in most staple crops can be made good in one year but timber is a long-time crop.

To mature a timber crop requires from 50 to 100 years or more, and no urgency of need nor amount of money can shorten the period. Within less than 50 years at the present rate, timber shortage in the United States will have become a blighting timber famine.

Pennsylvania's duty is to begin now the policy of timber production and timber conservation which will restore its woods to their former value and insure the people of the State against the evil day of timber famine which we know to be not far ahead.

Pennsylvania should own most of the land fit only for growing trees because:

The care and attention which the State as such can and will give is greater than the care and attention a private individual or corporation can and will give.

The timber development of the State affects every other industry and is, therefore, a people's question.

The State as such must supervise the cutting of trees if the forests are to continue.

Privately owned timber must have protection from fire and careful supervision to protect it from devastation.

The present timber and wood pulp shortage has developed out of the existing practice of lumbering, which is based on the careless assumption that "we have timber enough to last."

Under past and present lumbering practice, mature crops of native timber have been harvested wholly without regard to succeeding crops. No provision has been made for the starting of new forest growth, for protection it from fires which follow lumbering, nor for the care of young timber.

No effort has been made, by private concerns, to keep forest lands growing timber. As a result, lands which have been at work, century after century, producing forests that maintained and renewed themselves without care or cost, are transformed by the lumbering into non-productive wastes of blackened stumps and bleaching snags.

This is forest devastation.

Pennsylvania's duty is to stop devastation.

Our timber deficit is our own problem. The State in its duty to its people must meet this problem—and solve it.

WANTS ALL OF THE WOMEN TO VOTE

"The real women of America should come to the polls this fall to help frame the future of our country," said Lieutenant Governor Beidleman on Tuesday in an address at the opening of the Patriotic Order Sons of America at Harrisburg. "It is only when the real American mother will embrace the opportunity to vote that the safety of the destiny of our nation will be assured," Beidleman said.

YOUNG MAN PAROLED; MUST ATTEND CHURCH

Clyde Sheets, Carl Carlson and Martin Gargan, of Fayette City, who entered pleas of guilt in the Fayette County Court at Uniontown to breaking into the Hawker pool room and store with intent to commit a felony, were paroled by the court for a period of two years. Sheets was sentenced to the Allegheny county workhouse for two years, but pending the execution of the sentence was placed under parole with binding instructions to pay his minor child \$5 per week for his keep, abstain from the use of liquor, live as a decent and law abiding citizen, abide by the terms of an industrial certificate, attend Sunday school regularly and ordered to stay out of the borough of Fayette City or two miles of the border of the borough during the period of his parole and report the first Monday of each month to the parole officer.

Carlson and Gargan were each ordered to comply with the terms of an industrial certificate, live as decent and law abiding citizens, Carlson to attend Sunday school regularly and Gargan to attend mass regularly, making a report of same to the parole officer the first Monday of each month and each to pay the costs in the case.

COAL SHIPMENTS MEETING DEMANDS

The placement of cars has been so regular for several days past at the mines in this district that while shipments are going forward regularly to the Great Lakes and New England points, there is a growing indication that these localities are nearing their needed supply for the winter. It is anticipated that the increased freight rates may have an effect on the prices of coal, but to what extent is not stated.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Dohman and children of Tarentum, and Mrs. Joseph Wenzel spent Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Stephen Urash, of Maple creek.

Mrs. Ed. Hollowood, Mrs. James Quick and daughter Dorothy, and Mrs. Elmer Hollowood, of California, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Gass of Washington avenue, on Wednesday.

North Charleroi

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Wildman and children attended a ball game in Pittsburgh on Monday.

Frank Phillips visited his parents at near Uniontown Wednesday and Thursday.

Jonas Gee visited his mother in Monongahela on Monday.

Mrs. Oscar Carson and daughter visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Johnson of California on Monday.

Mrs. J. H. Frese and daughter, Miss Frieda of Donora were guests on Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Frese.

Miss Meri Franks has returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vaughan of Belle Vernon.

Mrs. Samuel Gaskill and children have returned from a vacation spent in Kirtland and Cleveland, Ohio.

Robert Shanks of Belle Vernon visited his sister Mrs. Charles McCann.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hill were visiting friends in Scenery Hill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Faulks and children and Mrs. Clyde Flanniken spent Thursday with friends at Tippecanoe.

Miss Grayce Phillips visited her cousin Mrs. William Risbeck of Donora on Wednesday.

Mrs. M. Miller has returned home from a visit with her parents at Elizabethtown.

Mrs. John Charles and Miss Minnie Franks were at Kenneywood park on Wednesday.

Masters Howard and Charles Bradley have returned from a vacation spent with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson Bradley, of McKeesport.

Mr. and Mrs. Heckman and children have returned to their home in McKeesport after visiting with Mrs. Heckman's sister, Mrs. Willis McVey.

Miss Ruth Cope and Miss Bertha Heinzelman of Belle Vernon were guests of Miss Elizabeth Cope.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson, Miss Francis Roberts and Mr. Clark Roberts and Mr. Ralph Rosberry of Rices Landing were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Carson.

Mrs. Price Harvey and children have returned to their home in Howard, W. Va., after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Flanniken.

They Don't Need Much Sugar

Old fashioned housewives canned by the open kettle method, and required a great deal of sugar to keep the fruit. When sugar was scarce or high they canned very little.

The scarcity of sugar this year is making little difference in canning. The cold pack method not only makes vegetable canning safe and advantageous, but it permits fruit canning to be done in a very light syrup. With our equipment, fruits may be safely canned without sugar.

We have all sizes Jars, Covers, Good Luck Jar Rings, Wrenches, Wax, Ladles, Funnels, Tops, Sieves and Strainers. Handy Jelly Bag or Strainer with table attachment: wood spoons, enamel, aluminum, tinned Basting Spoons, all sizes; Fruit Jar Racks, used in the wash boiler, Handy Fruit Jar Holders. Everything you will need for canning fruits and vegetables.

Grant's Hardware

COMMON WITCHHAZEL FINE FOR SORE EYES

It is surprising how quickly eye inflammation is helped by common witchazel, camphor, hydrastis, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash. One elderly lady, who had been troubled with chronic eye inflammation for many years, was greatly helped in two days. We guarantee a small bottle of Lavoptik to help ANY CASE weak, strained or inflamed eyes. Aluminum eye cup FREE. Hennings Drug Store, corner Fifth and McKean avenue.

Eat Pie If You Want To



Don't hesitate to eat anything you like—Dill's Digesters will tone up your stomach and ward off indigestion, biliousness, sour stomach, distress from overeating. Sure and quick in relief. Your druggist sells Dill's Digesters in the handy, vest-pocket bottle.

DILL'S Digesters

The Dill Company, Norristown, Pa.
Makers of Dill's Balm of Life

Real Estate... Buyers, Attention!

The Stockdale Land & Improvement Company has now opened its Plan No. 1, adjoining the BOROUGH OF ROSCOE AND STOCKDALE. This is the site of the largest industrial town of the Upper Monongahela Valley.

BIG MILL ADDITIONS

Large additions are now being made to the plant of the Pittsburgh Steel Products Company and a still larger development is expected for the future. Building sites are badly needed for the large force of men that will be employed in these mills.

MUST HAVE HOMES

Most desirable lots are now on sale and many are already taken. Now is the time to get a choice location for either residence or business purposes.

FOR INFORMATION SEE

ELI H. WOLF, Mgr.

Bell Phone 154

Monessen, Pa.



Advance Sale of Fall Suits

At Advantageously Low Prices

The suits displayed in this sale are the result of weeks of careful buying, every one of them offering values that cannot be duplicated later. In some the savings are in the cloths that the makers owned below ruling market quotations; in others the savings are in silk linings and fur trimmings bought before the market reached its peak.

All Are New 1920-21 Style

tallying in detail with advices from Paris and London and with the recent approvals of the New York Garment Exposition. The materials embrace tricotines, silver-tones, serges, velours-de-laine, poplins, etc., tailored with exceptional skill—in a word, garments of character and distinction.

Note Especially the Suits at

\$39.50, \$49.50, \$59.50, \$69.50, \$79.50, \$89.50

everyone a splendid value because we divide our buying gains with you for quick selling rather than hold them for the busy season in expectation of regular profit.

We would urge you to make an early selection as the styles are set and the fabrics are of the very best character as well as of the finest workmanship. There is every reason for you to make an early selection.

We bank our reputation on the character of this merchandise and the prices at which we have offered you for this early selling. We have marked this merchandise at very low figures thereby hoping for rapid sale.

J. W. BERRYMAN & SON

Charleroi's Busy Store

YOUNG GIRLS MADE STRONG

Mrs. Boyd Tells How Her Daughter Benefited by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Danville, Ill.—My daughter was very delicate and we thought we could not raise her. She was troubled with irregularity and she was not able to go to school. For a year we gave her all kinds of tonics but to no good. One day one of our little books was thrown on our porch and I saw what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for others and what it might do for her. Now she is getting fat and goes to school every day. You can tell every mother what the Vegetable Compound has done for my daughter.

Mrs. J. H. Boyd, 1002 N. Jackson St., Danville, Ill.

If every girl who suffers as Miss Boyd did, or from irregularities, painful periods, backache, headache, dragging down pains, inflammation or ulceration would only give this famous root and herb remedy a trial they would soon find relief from such suffering.

For special advice women are asked to write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of forty years' experience is at your service.

Bankrupt Sale.

One Overland Sedan to be sold at auction to highest bidder. August 31, 1920, at 7 p. m. Can be seen at West End Garage, Lock No. 4. Pa. 68-11 Harry W. Scott, Trustee.

I have several buyers for lots in Charleroi and Look 4, if you wish to dispose of that lot quick, list with me. Clyde B. Cope, 315 McKean avenue. 56-11

FOR SALE
Ford 1-ton worm drive truck.
Overland coupe.
Dodge 1918 Touring car.
Central Garage,
Belle, Vernon, Pa.
67-16

FOR SALE
Chalmers, late 1920 demonstrator, factory guaranteed.
Central Garage,
Belle Vernon.
67-16

TOO LATE

Death only a matter of short time. Don't wait until pains and aches become incurable diseases. Avoid painful consequences by taking



The world's standard remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles—the National Remedy of Holland since 1895. Guaranteed. Three sizes, all druggists. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation.

CHIROPRACTOR

DR. F. J. SCHWARTZ
218 North Building
Graduate Palmer School (licensed)
Office Days
Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays
9 a. m. to 9 p. m.
Bell Phone 98-14

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

For all ailments of the bowels, indigestion, constipation, biliousness, headache, neuralgia, etc. Sold by druggists everywhere.

ECZEMA!

Money back without question if HUNT'S Salve fails to cure ECZEMA, RINGWORM, FETTER, or other itching skin diseases. Try a 75 cent box at our risk.

PIPER'S PHARMACY

Sure Relief



BUG-OLGY

What do you call them?

"Bedbug (Cimex lectularius). The origin of the name bedbug is unknown, but is supposed to be naturally suggested as it is described. There are many local names for these parasites, as for illustration, around Boston they are called 'Chinches'; from Baltimore comes the name 'Mashogony' Flat; in New York they are called 'Red Coats,' around Pittsburgh they are called 'Pesty Devils,' in Cincinnati and the South, 'Night Riders,' in St. Louis and Chicago district, 'Crimson Remblers,' the great West 'Pigmas.' The old saying, 'the bedbug has no teeth, but they get there just the same,' is correct. Instead of their possessing a piercing and sucking beak to draw and rob you of your blood for their own body."

Bedbugs, no matter what you may call them, or where they came from, science has found a way to rid them if you will use faithfully the new chemical Pesty Devils Quicker "P. D. Q." A 35c package makes one quart, enough to kill a million bedbugs, roaches, fleas, ants or cockroaches, and their eggs as well. P. D. Q. will not injure bedding, and each package contains a patent sprayer to enable you to get them in the hard-to-get-at places. Impossible for Pesty Devils to exist where P. D. Q. is used.

SALE

Four room house, two and a half bath, central heating, gas, electric, and plumbing, with a swimming pool. Not cold and water in bath room, right at street car stop, good stable and chicken house, about 1 1/2 acres.

4 rooms Prospect \$2100
4 rooms Shady Ave. \$2100
2 lots Prospect Ave. \$2500
2 lots Prospect Ave. \$1000
6 roomed house and two lots Prospect Ave. \$5000
4 room house and 4 room house Folkersfield Ave. \$6500
Two houses Oakland Ave. \$4500
3 rooms Ninth street. \$3600
4 rooms Maple Creek. \$2600
2 lots Maple Creek, each. \$300
FOR SALE—One good coal stove.
FOR RENT—Rent of store room and cellar.

A. L. DUBINSKY,
407 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa.

North Charleroi School District will meet Aug. 27th, 1920 at 7:30 p. m. to receive bids for 2,000 bushels, more or less, of run-mine coal. Half or more of same to be delivered by Oct. 1st.

S. W. Sharpneck,
Secretary
Lock No. 4, Pa.
Aug 21-26-26.

COAL PRICES ARE DUE FOR A DROP

A forecast in the tumble of coal prices was made by the department of justice in Washington on Wednesday, coincident with the announcement of renewed activity in the campaign against coal profiteers. With production on the increase prediction was made that the coal market would follow a similar trend.

Prices have sharply dropped at Baltimore, where federal agents started last week to gather evidence against an alleged combination of dealers who were declared to have raised prices through repeated refusal, and a similar attack on profiteers has been ordered at Hampton Roads, one of the largest bunkering centers on the eastern seaboard. It is said that violation of the Lever law were confined largely to the Atlantic coast.

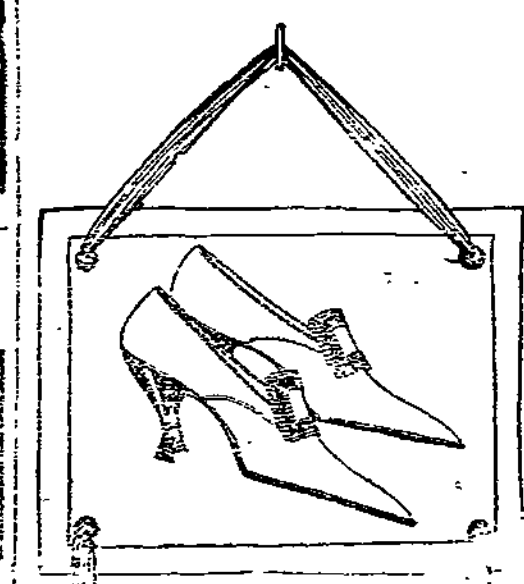
SOME MCKEESPORT WOMEN WON'T VOTE

McKeesport suffragists began a campaign of the city on Wednesday, urging all women to vote. They met many women who declared they would not bother with the ballot. Some, however, are enthusiastic over the prospect of voting. McKeesporters opposed to women suffrage say less than 500 women will vote there, next November, while those favoring suffrage for women predict that close to 2,000 will vote.

ANOTHER BOAT FOR MONONGAHELA TRADE

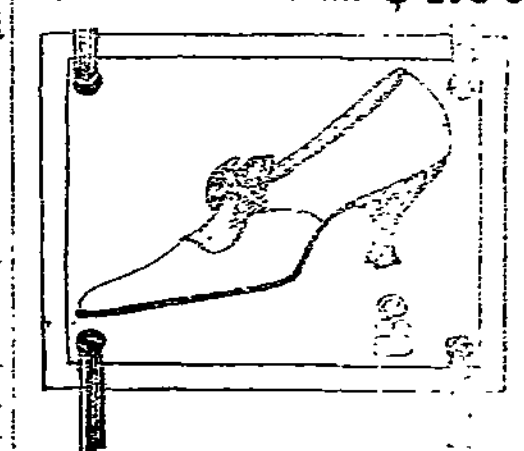
The steamer John Ross, with five empty barges in tow, left Point Pleasant on Wednesday, bound for Pittsburgh. It is said the boat and barges have been sold to a Brownsville company which will engage in shipping coal by river. The Ross is a small boat of less than 100 horsepower.

Claybaugh & Milliken "Successful Thru Service"



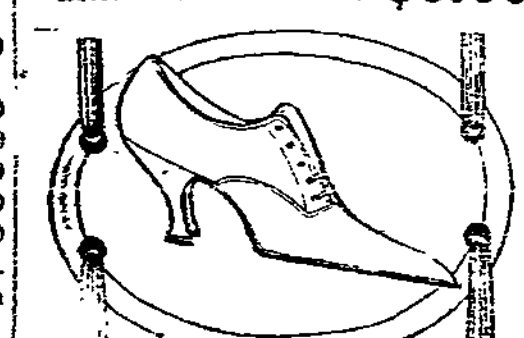
The above cut shows a White Cloth Colonial Pump, Turn Sole, Covered Wood Heel with neat buckle which we are pricing.

Special at..... **\$4.50**



The style shown here in a White Cloth Tie is the Newest, which we have in High French Heel or the straight Cuban Heel. The season's smartest White Low Shoe.

Special at..... **\$6.00**



The pattern shown here is a White Cloth Oxford, Light Weight Sole, Covered Heel. A very neat style which fits snug around top, giving the ankle more support.

Special at..... **\$4.50**

CLAYBAUGH - MILLIKEN
"REAL SHOE MEN"
Charleroi, Pa.

RIVER BOOM WILL BE PERMANENT ONE

"The rivers are not coming back, but are back" are the words of a well known stevedore a few days ago in reply to a query regarding the activity of the rivers. One well-known stevedore man is known to have received and offer of \$200,000 for his towboat, for the profits which he is making with this boat would pay for her at the rate mentioned in but two trips to southern waters. The boat is one of the best steel hull towboats on western waterways, and is one of the newest operating in the towing trade. Other instances of the great boom in river shipping is the chartering of two barges from a local sand company to a Southern oil company for \$200 daily.

"This boom is here to stay," said this stevedore, and no amount of railroad agitation can take away from the rivers the present prosperity. Another stevedore is quoted as saying, "The rivers do not need booming; they are booming themselves in spite of the many handicaps which they must undergo."

YOUTH FALLS INTO RIVER AND DROWNS

Monday afternoon near the mouth of Mingo creek, above Courtney, where he had gone to fish, James E. Sleith, aged seven years, was drowned. The lad in company with other boys, had left the home of his grandparents in Riverview about noon. In descending the bank of the river he slipped and fell into the water, and before assistance could reach him he had drowned. Clinton Weygant, aged 10, who was in the party, made an effort to save the lad, but it was more than he could manage. The body was recovered a short time later and rushed to the Memorial hospital, where efforts were made to resuscitate, but without avail. The boy was the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Sleith, who were visiting in Riverview at the time of the accident.

CHECKING UP ON RESTAURANT PRICES

Allegheny county fair price committee has started a campaign to bring down the cost of restaurant food. Federal agents, it is reported, recently visited leading restaurants and checked over their menus and price lists. It is said, were warned to revise their prices downward. The chairman of the committee last night talked of the attempt to "gauge patrons" and said restaurant men are aware they are charging prices away beyond reason.

HEAVY TONNAGE ON THE MONONGAHELA

It is estimated by commerce attaches that the tonnage on the Monongahela river for the present year will amount to 23,000,000 an amount three million tons greater than the Suez canal ever carried and more than 15,000,000 tons more than the Panama canal record traffic of nine million tons, which was made during the 12 months ending July 30, 1920.

RAIL STRIKERS SEEK THEIR FORMER JOBS

Several hundred engineers, firemen, conductors, switchmen and yardmen, though having lost their seniority rights by participating in the "outlaw strike" on Wednesday at the Cleveland yards of the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie Railroad signed applications for positions on the road, officials of the road announced last night. These men, according to the officials, will be employed only as vacancies occur.

MANY REGISTER IN ALLEGHENY COUNTY

Seven hundred women of Allegheny county registered at the court house in Pittsburgh on Tuesday. The registration and assessing will continue until September 1st. Arrangements have been made whereby 530 polling places will be open for three work next Saturday and the first three days of next week. This arrangement is expected to take care of all of the women who expect to register for the coming election.

PASSENGER RATES FROM BROWNSVILLE

Patrons of the railroads traveling from Brownsville to Pittsburgh from this time on will pay \$2.11 train fare, this being an increase of 20 per cent over the former rate. If they travel by Pullman, there will be a surcharge of 50 cents, making the rate 81 cents additional to train fare. The fare to Fairmont from Brownsville is \$2.65.

WANT ADS.

FOR SALE—1 gas cook stove (\$10.00), window blinds, linoleum, light fixtures, etc. Inquire H. J. Burkey, Paw Building, 404 Fallowfield, Phone 149-R Bell. 68-12-6

FOR SALE—Five rooms. McKean avenue. A good buy. See A. L. Dubinsky, 407 Fallowfield avenue. 68-11

FOR SALE—Five rooms, cemented cellar and one acre of ground near Charleroi. See A. L. Dubinsky. 51rf

FOR SALE—Ford coupe, only used six weeks. Practically new. Inquire 372 Mail office.

FOR SALE—Roo Truck, good condition. Cash \$600. Inquire Thomas Keener, Lock No. 4. 65-15-9

FOR SALE—Davenport and leather chairs, dining room suite, refrigerator and baby carriage. Inquire J. S. Fraser, Sheppard Place, Lock No. 4. 68-15

FOR SALE—Baby buggy. Good condition. 920 McKean avenue. 68-13-9

FOR SALE—1917 Ford roadster, best of condition. \$300. Inquire 337 Washington avenue. 70-12-9

FOR RENT—Room suitable for two gentlemen. Inquire 385 Mail office. 93-13-9

FOR RENT—Flat, 6 rooms and bath. Rent \$45.00 per month. Possession about Sept. 10. Give age, occupation, ages children if any. Apply N 51 Mail office. 70-13-9

WANTED—To buy a residence on Washington or Lincoln avenue. Will pay as high as \$20,000.00 for suitable place. See Clyde B. Cope 315 McKean avenue. 55tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Miller's Fashion Shop, 528 Fallowfield avenue. 62-11

WANTED—Boy for store work. Must be willing to work and be steady. Over 16 years old. L. Collins. 67-11

WANTED—Girl to help with house work. Family of two. Inquire 384 Mail office. 68-11

WANTED—At Johnson's cafe, Monessen, an experienced kitchen girl. Apply in person. Good wages. 68-15

WANTED—By bank teller, 4, 5 or 6 room house, flat or unfurnished rooms in private home. Inquire First National Bank. Aug 7-9-11-13-14-18-20-22-25

WANTED—A young lady desires board and room in private family. Write Box 164, Charleroi, Pa. 69-13-9

WANTED—Girl for general housework, must have good references. Apply in person. 533 Lincoln avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 69-13-9

WANTED—To rent, farm of 100 acres for next spring. Within 4 miles of Charleroi. Inquire 325 Lincoln avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 70-12-9

WANTED—Men for general mill work. Apply Le Moyne Steel Co., New Eagle, Pa. 70-12

WANTED—Experienced girl for grocery department. Apply People's Cash Meat Market. 70-11

WANTED—Washwoman, for small family. Inquire Mrs. Elstner, 733 Washington avenue. 70-12-9

FARM WANTED—I want to hear from party having farm for sale. Give price and description. John W. Wait, Champaign, Illinois. 70-12

WANTED—Room with conveniences, by young man. Address 386 Mail office. 70-11-9

LOST—Gentleman's ring. Large red stone with two small diamonds. Liberal reward if returned to 371 Mail office. 14-13-9

GREENSBURG SHORT OF SCHOOL ACCOMMODATIONS

One hundred and fifty pupils will enter the freshman class of Greensburg High school this fall, and it is feared the school building cannot accommodate the enrollment. A total of 800 pupils is expected in the high school, 100 more than last year.

Mrs. J. A. Flood, who was visiting her parents at 733 Washington avenue, has left for Oklahoma City, where she will join her husband.

FOR SALE

Bungalow. Dining room, living room, kitchen, bath room, trunk room, Three bed rooms, sun parlor, garage for two cars. Large lot, everything in good shape.

M. E. Biggs,
407 Oakdale Ave.,
Charleroi, Pa. 68-11-2